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DURING THE WEEK ENDING SEPTEMBER 13, THERE WERE 265 NEW CASES OF CONFIRMED CHOLERA REPORTED IN CONTINENTAL PORTUGAL, INCLUDING FOUR DEATHS. OF THIS FIGURE, 107 CASES WERE FROM OPORTO DISTRICT, 79 FROM LISBON DISTRICT WITH ONE DEATH AND 39 FROM FARO DISTRICT. DURING THE WEEK ENDING SEPTEMBER 20, THERE WERE 197 ADDITIONAL CASES INCLUDING ONE DEATH. OF THIS FIGURE, 59 CASES WERE FROM OPORTO DISTRICT, 48 FROM LISBON DISTRICT AND 37 FROM FARO DISTRICT WITH ONE DEATH.

THEREFORE SINCE THE ONSET OF THE DISEASE ON APRIL 24, THERE HAS BEEN A TOTAL OF 2,106 CONFIRMED CASES OF CHOLERA, INCLUDING 37 DEATHS IN CONTINENTAL PORTUGAL.

WITH SUMMER'S END AND THE ARRIVAL OF COOLER WEATHER

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PORTUGUESE HEALTH AUTHORITIES ARE CONFIDENT THAT

THE CHOLERA RATE HAS PEAKED AND WILL FOLLOW THE TREND OF
LAST WEEK'S FIGURE AND CONTINUE TO DROP.
DR. MARK ROSENBERG, A USPHS EPIDEMIOLOGIST,
ARRIVED IN LISBON ON SEPTEMBER 20 TO JOIN DR. PAUL BLAKE
WHO ARRIVED EARLIER TO STUDY THE CHOLERA SITUATION.
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